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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Robertson, et. al.

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Title: Compound Optical and Electrical
Conductors, and Connectors Therefor

Attorney Docket No.: C2ABU043.C29

Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PETITION TO
PROCEED WITHOUT INVENTOR'S SIGNATURE
UNDER 37 CFR 1.47**

THE HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS
WASHINGTON, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

On May 31, 2006, Applicant received a dismissal of Applicant's petition to proceed without deceased inventor's signature (or representative thereof), namely Robert Currie. Since that time, Applicant has received a signed oath and declaration from the executrix of the missing inventor. This oath and declaration is attached hereto. Problems Currie is the widow of the non-signing, deceased inventor. This should obviate the grounds for dismissal, and therefore reconsideration and promotion to examination and issue is respectfully requested.

Please note that the first named inventor, Jonas Robertson, has a signed oath and declaration already on file in this application.

There is no fee for this request, however, the Patent Office is authorized to charge any fee or credit any overpayment to deposit account 50-0562.

Respectfully submitted,

March 13, 2006

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